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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER			ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NO.: 30-3744CIP1			
SERIAL NUMBER: 08/717,042	FILING DATE: September 20, 1996	EXAMINER: N. Kopsidas	GROUP ART UNIT: 3727			
INVENTION: BLAST RESISTANT AND BLAST DIRECTING CONTAINING ASSEMBLY			<div style="float: right; border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> RECEIVED DEC 15 1998 </div>			
INVENTOR(s): FOR PAMELEY ET AL.			TECHNOLOGY CENTER 3700			
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INDEP. CLAIMS	5	MINUS	5	0	X \$80	\$ 0.00
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed June 3, 1998, please enter the amendments and remarks that follow:

IN THE CLAIMS:

In claim 35, line 1, please change "lest" to -least--.

REMARKS

Applicants note with appreciation the thoroughness of the examination of the above-referenced case.

The information disclosure statement filed November 25, 1996, and bearing date of November 20, 1996, has not been considered by the Examiner on the basis of failure to comply with 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2). This code section requires submission of a legible copy of each U.S. and foreign patent, each publication or that portion which caused it to be listed, and all other information or that portion which caused it to be listed. Applicants disagree with the decision of failure to comply and respectfully direct the Examiner's attention to 37 CFR 1.98(d), reproduced as follows:

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